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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner of Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants submit the instant paper, by facsimile, in response to the Office Action mailed

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IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claims 138, 206, and 233-240, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Rewrite the following calims.

21 154. (Amended) The device according to claim 119, further comprising

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- e) an additional laser beam generation device for generating an additional laser beam with a wavelength different from the first wavelength,
- f) an additional focusing device for focusing said additional laser beam onto the measuring volume wherein the additional laser beam is such highly focused within the measuring volume that in essence it exclusively covers the measuring volume,
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